

AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION

Page 1, line 6, please add the following heading and paragraph:

CLAIM FOR PRIORITY

This application is a national stage of PCT/DE2004/000795 which was published on October 28, 2004 and which claims benefit of priority to German Application No. 10318375.2 filed April 14, 2003.

Please add the following Abstract as indicated below; a clean copy of which is presented on a separate page at the end of this document:

Abstract

The invention relates to a method for call billing a communication link established between a first communication terminal of a first packet-switched communication network and a second communication terminal of a second packet-switched communication network. A request message for establishing the communication link is conveyed from the first communication terminal or from the second communication terminal to a transition node arranged between the first and the second communication network. The request message is conveyed again from the transition node to an evaluation and control unit, said evaluation and control unit evaluating the request message with respect to the origin thereof and normally determining whether the communication connection which is to be established is billed or is treated without billing and call billing is carried out in a manner corresponding to a call charge computer.